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Re: Interstate Common Line Support and Long Term Support Annual Certification Filing

CC Docket No. 96-45

This is to certify that **PALMETTO RURAL TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, INC.** will use its Interstate Common Line Support and Long Term Support only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

I am authorized to make this certification on behalf of the company named above. This certification is for the study area(s) listed below:

Company Name	State	Study Area Code
Palmetto Rural Telephone Cooperative, Inc	SC	240536
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